

Historical Ute Mountain Fire Lookout Torver

Rededication Ceremony

 Celebrating the restoration of the only remaining free-standing, fire lookout tower in Utah

Date: Saturday, September 20, 2014

Time: 10:00 am

Location: Ute Mountain Fire Lookout Tower on the Flaming Gorge Ranger District

Directions:

From Manila - Approximately 12.5 miles south on U.S. Hwy 191; turn right (west) on Forest Service Road 218 for 3 miles; then turn left on FS Road 221 (gravel road) for 1.3 miles; then turn left (south) on FS Road 005 for approximately 1.3 miles to Ute Tower

From Vernal - Approximately 55 miles north on U.S. Hwy 191; turn left (west) on Forest Service Road 218 for 3 miles; then turn left on FS Road 221 (gravel road) for 1.3 miles; then turn left (south) on FS Road 005 for approximately 1.3 miles to Ute Tower

Agenda:

10:00	Welcome – Background Rowdy Muir, Flaming Gorge District Ranger
10:10	Short History of Ute Tower Jeffrey Rust, Forest Archeologist
10:20	Life as a Lookout – Perspective of a former Ute Tower Fire Lookout
	Lee Skabelund, Retired Forest Service
10:30	Description of restoration work
10:40	Future uses of Ute Tower Rowdy Muir, Flaming Gorge District Ranger
10:45	Ribbon Cutting Ceremony